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Response to Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification and Separate Letter to the Official Draftsperson

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Dear Sir:

This response is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed 07/05/05 (a copy of which is attached), which is deemed to correct the inconsistency noted therein.

Specifically, applicants hereby attach 1 sheet of formal drawing (Figures 10 and 11) for the above-identified patent application. In the event that the Draftsperson has any questions concerning the formal drawings, he or she is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

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NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

The drawings filed 08 - 02 - 2001 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figure 10 is listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figure 12 is contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

Failure to correct the above noted inconsistency will result in **abandonment** of the application.

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